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PATENT APPLICATION

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
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TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3611

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hiroko SHIKINAMI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3611

Application No.: 09/869,883

Examiner: P. Royal

Filed: August 17, 2001

Docket No.: 110071

For: VEHICLE TO ASSIST WALKING

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the October 12, 2004 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.